



ROYAL CANADIAN MOUNTED POLICE NATIONAL SITUATIONAL REPORT

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KEY POINTS

- Arrests of demonstrators in downtown Ottawa are ongoing.¹
- Strategies to police security measures in Ottawa are being shared on social media.^{2 3}
- Trucks and vehicles are currently being towed in various areas of the National Capital Region (NCR).

RECENT ARRESTS

- Personal Info. arrested on 2022-02-17
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C DIVISION

- According to social media, demonstrators intending to come to Ottawa are asked to remove flags and any other signs of support as a way to counter security measures in place.⁵

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- The Ontario Provincial Police (OPP) Intel has observed a general call out with instructions for demonstrators wanting come to Ottawa to take back roads as Highway 417 is blocked.⁶
- As of 1100hrs on 2022-02-18, there were no demonstrators reported on Parliament Hill and approximately 40 were observed on Wellington.⁷
- Ottawa Police Service (OPS) is currently clearing the intersection of Mackenzie King Bridge and Nicholas. A few trucks and vehicles have been removed.⁸
- The City of Gatineau has secured an injunction against the Farfadaa group in the Zibi parking lot next to the Chaudière Bridge. They have relocated to a church parking lot. Gatineau Police are monitoring.⁹
- The "Alberta Freedom Convoy 2022" is attempting to fill a charter bus to Ottawa.¹⁰
- The Fort McMurray convoy (the "Supply Convoy") appears to consist of 4 vehicles (one motorhome) en-route to attend Ottawa arriving on 2022-02-19.¹¹
- Members of the "Niagara Peninsula Convoy 2022" have posted on Facebook announcing their arrival in Ottawa and uploaded videos walking within the protest area on 2022-02-17.¹²
- Two convoys from St-Jérôme and Gatineau are scheduled to arrive in Ottawa on 2022-02-19.¹³

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Windsor (Ambassador Bridge)

- Discussion surrounding the Windsor blockade has decreased steadily as more attention is focused on Ottawa.¹⁴
- Windsor Police posted traffic restrictions on Huron Church Road.¹⁵

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¹ PIU CIG Update 174, 2022-02-18 8h52

² Topo Div C_20220218_08h00

³ Sit Rep #155: Freedom Convoy 2022- National Capital Region 2022-01-28 to 2022-02-18

⁴ PIU CIG Update 174, 2022-02-18 8h52

⁵ Topo_Div C_20220218_08h00

⁶ Sit Rep #155: Freedom Convoy 2022- National Capital Region 2022-01-28 to 2022-02-18

⁷ PIU CIG Update 174, 2022-02-18 8h52

⁸ PIU CIG Update 175

⁹ Sit Rep #156: Freedom Convoy 2022- National Capital Region 2022-01-28 to 2022-02-18

¹⁰ Situation Report - "O" Division - Freedom Convoy 2022

¹¹ Situation Report - "O" Division - Freedom Convoy 2022

¹² O Division Open Source Ports of Entry (POE) Report - Border Integrity Analytical Report, 2022-02-18 1000hrs

¹³ RFI Response to JIG from C DIV - 2022-02-17, 2022-02-17

¹⁴ O Division Open Source Ports of Entry (POE) Report - Border Integrity Analytical Report, 2022-02-18 1000hrs

¹⁵ O Division Open Source Ports of Entry (POE) Report - Border Integrity Analytical Report, 2022-02-18 1000hrs